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MEGA PET ADOPTION EVENT – A HUGE SUCCESS!

The County of Los Angeles Department of Animal Care and Control (DACC) hosted a nine-day **Mega Pet Adoption event** from April 29th thru May 7th, 2016 at the Downey Animal Care Center, located at 11258 S. Garfield Ave. in Downey. The event has come to a close and the final adoption figures are in. 329 animals were adopted from the County's Downey Animal Care Center into new homes during this event! 193 dogs and 136 cats now have loving families to call their own!

"We are eleated at the turnout and adoptions from our Downey ACC," said Marcia Mayeda, the department's director. "As always, we encourage those seeking to bring a new pet into their home to visit and adopt from the animal care center. We have amazing pets who want to shower you with love and companionship," said Mayeda.

The Downey Animal Care Center is located at 11258 S. Garfield Ave. in Downey and open seven days a week. Please visit the Department's web site at www.animalcare.lacounty.gov or Facebook at www.facebook.com/CountyofLosAngelesAnimalCare. There are five more county animal care centers located throughout the County of Los Angeles. Visit the web site or Facebook for more locations and contact information.